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of mid-May 1984, 81,678 released documents were recorded in PICDOC. Although PICDOC does not record the number of pages released, at an average of three pages per document there would be about 245,000 pages of material that have been released from the DO over the past ten years (since 1974); at four pages per document it equates to 326,700 pages; at five, 408,400. A copy of a PICDOC input form is attached. ORIS should be viewed as a much enhanced successor to PICDOC as well as DECAL, the system described below.

b. DECAL: DECAL is an on-line GIMS system used by the Information and Privacy Division (IPD) over the past six or seven years to record documents of general interest that have been released, either in declassified or sanitized form, as the result of FOIA and mandatory review requests from the public (very few PA releases have been included in DECAL over the years because of privacy considerations). Information that is believed to be of interest to the general public has been indexed into the system, filmed, and used by IPD to satisfy like requests when they occur and to serve senior management in reviewing adverse media coverage and other through keywords, DECAL uses three digit subject and geographical area codes that are very difficult for other than indexing specialists to use. Recently, IPD began to index and film the releases from all FOIA and EO cases, regardless of their content, and will begin to include the releases from PA cases when resources become available. As of mid-June 1984, 11,595 documents (59,127

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